

Vying for the Vi Frost

Next golf is on Friday 15 February at Royal. Kim Goeller, 083-300-8084 or 011 788-8132 has the timesheet. We will compete for the **Vi Frost Trophy** on the West course. The competition is an individual stableford played in silver and bronze divisions. The silver division will be up to and including a handicap index of 17.6 and the bronze division from 17.7. The current holders are Gina Venter, silver, and Jeanette Dowding, bronze. There is a prize for the 4-ball, with the highest score, counting only the 3 best scores. The championships on 12th April will be played in the same divisions.

Killarney Country Club will host us on Friday 15 March. The competition is a 4-ball Alliance Stableford. It is an invitational. Your guests should be 50 older with at least one SWGG member in the fourball. Angie Adams, 082-412-6205, will have the timesheet after the February competition.

Timesheet etiquette. SWGG has to advise the club not only of how many are playing but who the golfers are so please let the timesheet keeper know if you give up your place to someone else. If you have to cancel let the timesheet keeper know as soon as you know. If you arranged a game with others it would be polite to let at least one of them know that you have had to withdraw.

January competition results

There was a h-u-g-e field of 106 players at CCJ on 18 January. It was a beautiful day and the Rocklands course was in superb condition.

The winners on 88 points were Fefi Tokarsky, Gale Weber, Di Corrigan and Lorna Eckermann, all CCJ members, much to the relief of President Alecia Gordon-Finlayson who is also a member of Country Club and was also in the prizes.

Alecia played with Jetska Kingma, Maud Furney and Carole Homes. On 83 points they were counted out of second place by Irene Farr, Carol Primes and Ingrid Harris with Ingrid pivoting.

In fourth place on 82 points were Gill van der Meulen, Annette Lawson, Cornelia Bonney and Jane McIver.



Winners (L-R) Gale Weber, Fefi Tokarsky, Di Corrigan and Lorna Eckermann with Maud Furney (2nd from left) who assisted with prize-giving.



President Alecia Gordon-Finlayson (left) with runners-up (LR) Ingrid Harris (pivot), Irene Farr, and Carol Primes.



In third place was the President's 4-ball, L-R Jetska Kingma, Alecia, Maud Furney and Carole Homes.



Gill van der Meulen's 4-ball was in 4th place.



Tee and Sandwedges prizes for Thandi Ndlovu and Alice Taylor

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Birdies for Gale Weber and Juliana Makapan on the par 3 4th hole; Alice Taylor on the 15th and Fefi Tokarsky on the 17th.

Tee and Sandwedges nearest the pins

New member Thandi Ndlovu was nearest the pin on the 4th hole and Alice Taylor on the 15th the picturesque hole over the water. Alice sunk her putt.

New members

Welcome Judy Fredricks, Gayleen Gray and Sue Nurick. May all your putts drop.

Uniforms

Lorna, who has managed our uniform 'shop' since 2007, is retiring. If you would like to take over SWGG clothing please chat to Lorna about what it entails. If you are averse to meetings it need not be a committee portfolio.

Charity

On your behalf SWGG has donated R40,000 to our charities. R15,000 is allocated to Cornucopia we pay their food bills – mostly butchery – throughout the year. Meals on Wheels, Yeoville received their donation in two payments. The second was just before Christmas and unexpected. Chris Jones was delirious with gratitude. Thank you for your generosity.

Facebook

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Please add Karen's e-mail address, karenjw@mweb.co.za, to your contacts so that the SWGG Newsletter is not rejected as spam.